

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant :	Ng, et al.	Art Unit :	1753
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Title :	SILICON NANOPARTICLES EMBEDDED IN POLYMER MATRIX		

**Mail Stop Amendment**

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AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO ACTION OF JANUARY 3, 2007

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: